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RE: Public Records Act request received January 29, 2019

Dear Mr. Perez:

This letter responds to your request under the Public Records Act (Gov. Code, § 6250 et seq.) seeking "all receipts and reimbursement requests pertaining to travel and purchases by former Attorney General Kamala Harris between Jan. 3, 2011 and Jan. 3, 2017." Your request was received on January 29, 2019. The initial deadline to respond is February 8, 2019. For the reasons discussed below, this office is extending the date for responding to your request by 14 days, to February 22, 2019.

Agencies are required to respond to requests under the Public Records Act within 10 days, but may extend the deadline by up to 14 days under specified circumstances. (Gov. Code, § 6253, subd. (c).) These include:

1. The need to search for and collect records from field offices or other facilities that are separate from the office processing the request.
2. The need to search for, collect, and appropriately examine a voluminous amount of separate and distinct records which are demanded in a single request.
3. The need for consultation, which shall be done with all practicable speed, with another agency having a substantial interest in the determination of the request, or among two or more components of the agency having substantial subject matter interest therein.

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In this instance, an extension is needed to consult with different sections within the department having a subject matter interest in the requested records.

Sincerely,



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